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From One Concerned American to Another:

I am feeling very American today -- it is so exhilarating to be able to do and speak what I believe!

Consequently, since I appreciate all my employers, I want to speak up for any that may have religious convictions. I ask that you rescind the mandate that all contraceptives and sterilization procedures be covered by private health insurance with no co-pay to patients. If you do not reverse course I ask you to at least expand conscience protections for any organizations that provide individual and group insurance and have moral or religious objections.

I would like to go further and ask that you reconsider your definition of religious employer and offer an authentic conscience protection for any organization and business that has moral or religious objection to providing this kind of insurance to their employees.

Let's give American employers a break and the freedom to run their businesses according their consciences -- let's keep them in business by not encumbering them with unnecessary regulations.

Besides, because we are at liberty, we can choose whichever company gives us the health care we desire.

Freely,
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Sincerely,
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